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Response to Restriction and Election Requirement Under 35 U.S.C. §1.121

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Sir:

This is in response to the Election/Restriction dated June 19, 2007, having a (1) month shortened statutory period set to expire July 19, 2007. This paper is being timely filed in view of the accompanying Petition for a One Month Extension of Time and associated fee for the extension, to be charged to Deposit Account number 50-0423, which extends the time for response to Monday, August 20, 2007, August 19, 2007 being a Sunday. However, if additional fees are due, please charge Deposit Account 50-0423. A fee transmittal is submitted herewith in duplicate. Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.